## REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN APPROVED for the Tracy Tire Fire site, Tracy, California

The California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has approved the Remedial Action Plan (RAP) and Negative Declaration for the Tracy Tire Fire site (Site) located at 29425 South MacArthur Drive, Tracy, California. The RAP proposes Excavation of Pyrolitic Oil and Metals-Affected Soil for Off-Site Disposal as the preferred alternative for an interim removal action for the Site. This interim removal action will include excavation of ash, burned material, and pyrolytic oil- and metals-affected soil for off-site disposal to an appropriate landfill. This interim removal action is consistent with the nine criteria for cleanup of a hazardous waste site: overall protection of human health and the environment; compliance with State and Federal requirements; long-term effectiveness and performance; reduction of toxicity, mobility, and volume through treatment; short-term effectiveness; implementability; cost; regulatory agency acceptance; and community acceptance.

A California Environmental Quality Act, Negative Declaration has been approved for the RAP. The Negative Declaration states that implementation of the proposed cleanup method will not impact the environment.

A public comment period for the Draft RAP/proposed Negative Declaration ran from July 29 through August 29, 2003. The RAP, Negative Declaration and other related documents are available for review at the: Tracy Public Library, 20 E. Eaton Avenue, Tracy, California 95376

The full administrative record and files pertaining to this matter are available for public review at the Department of Toxic Substances Control, 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, California, 95826-3200, 916-255-3744.

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